Choose the correct answer (A, B, or C) to complete the sentences.

31 Sara had arranged ..... her brother after drama club.

A meeting **B** to meet **C** to have met

32 We regret ..... you that today's match has been cancelled owing to bad weather conditions.

A to informing **B** informing **C** to inform

33 They are planning to ..... the road outside the school so the buses don't stop the traffic.

A width **B** widen **C** wide

34 Most fitness gadgets make ..... claims about how they can improve your fitness.

A really **B** reality **C** realistic

35 Grasshopper mice are constantly either hunting or ..... .

A be hunted **B** being hunted **C** been hunted

36 Hawks ..... to be very intelligent creatures.

A is said **B** are said **C** are saying

37 It looked like my team was going to draw when at the ..... minute they scored the winning goal.

A sooner **B** first **C** last

38 I don't have a lot of ..... . I find it hard to lift ten kilos!

A stronger **B** strong **C** strength

39 Jeff told me that he ..... a crime story one day.

A will have been writing **B** might write **C** might have written

40 The plot in the film was so complex that Matt found it hard to ..... .

A figure it out **B** leave it out **C** go for it

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41 The writer puts the reader ..... ease, but then there is a twist to the plot that shocks any reader.

A in **B** at **C** on

42 I like this writer as she is very experienced ..... creating believable characters.

A of **B** to **C** in

43 I think my friend ..... disappointed when she got fifty-five in the English test. She spent a lot of time revising for it.

A needed to be **B** might have been **C** ought to have been

44 I don't like that new boy in my class. He just ignored us when we tried to talk to him. He's very ..... .

A cheerful **B** eccentric **C** anti-social

45 Everyone had a great time ..... the bad weather.

A in spite of **B** despite of **C** despite the fact

46 When making a decision you should ..... the pros and cons.

A rate up **B** count up **C** weigh up

47 ..... my teacher who suggested I should do the youth citizen programme over the summer.

A There was **B** It was **C** It was for

48 You should never feel ..... pressure to wear clothes that you don't like.

A over **B** under **C** into

49 I regularly ..... football with my friends in the park.

A played **B** am playing **C** play

50 Zack ..... all the competition to win first prize.

A held back **B** beat off **C** saw through

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51 At no time ..... that he wasn't happy with my work.

A said he B he said **C** did he say

52 ..... it is that she has, her songs appeal to a wide range of people.

A Whenever **B** Whoever **C** Whatever

53 In a study, most people ..... by some lies they thought were true.

A are caught out **B** were caught out **C** caught out

54 ..... in the city of Birmingham, visitors can't help but notice that it is a truly multicultural city.

A Arriving **B** To arrive **C** Being arrived

55 Carrie had to ..... her holiday plans at the last minute.

A retake **B** remake **C** rearrange

56 The woman denied ..... that she had seen him before.

A that saying **B** saying **C** that said

57 Kate's mum was appalled ..... the state of Kate's bedroom and made her promise to tidy it.

A by **B** of **C** to

58 What a great theme for a party! I would never have ..... .

A dreamed it up **B** dreamed up it **C** it dreamed up

59 The class ..... so quiet you could have heard a pin drop.

A is **B** was **C** were

60 There are ..... vlogs about virtual reality on the internet.

A every **B** the whole **C** no end of

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